

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of: Kenneth M. Buckland  
Serial No.: 09/657,068  
Filing Date: September 7, 2000  
Confirmation No.: 1585  
Group Art Unit: 2616  
Examiner: Robert W. Wilson  
Title: METHOD AND SYSTEM FOR PROCESSING  
TRAFFIC IN AN ACCESS NETWORK

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Dear Sir:

RESPONSE TO EXAMINER'S FINAL ACTION

In response to the Final Action issued July 26, 2007, Applicant respectfully requests the Examiner to reconsider the rejection of the claims in view of the following amendments and/or comments as set forth below.